Medication Access Site Requirements for Pharmacies

Pre-Exposure Prophylaxis (PrEP) Delivery Program Virginia Medication Assistance Program (VA MAP)

A. MOA (fully executed by both parties)

- 1. Initiated by the Department (VDH Pharmacy Services)
- 2. Sent to the Contractor (pick-up site pharmacy)
- 3. Final signature provided by the Department
- 4. Copy kept on file by both parties

B. Pharmacy State License

- 1. Name of the pharmacist-in-charge (PIC). Notify VDH Pharmacy Services of any changes in the PIC.
- 2. Renewed annually prior to expiration. VDH Pharmacy Services will need a confirmation that the pharmacy license has been renewed.

C. General Information Needed from Clinic & Process for Placing Medication Orders

- 1. A contact name, phone number and fax number at the site involved in placing the order the medication (pharmacy or clinic)
- 2. Point of contact, phone number and fax number at the pick-up site (i.e., pharmacy)
- 3. Pick-up site pharmacy shipping address
- 4. Mutual understanding of how medication orders will be placed

D. Prescription Labeling

VDH Pharmacy Services must label all prescriptions sent to the pick-up site pharmacy with a label that clearly identifies both VDH Pharmacy Services and the pick-up site pharmacy in compliance with state and federal requirements (18VAC110-20-275).

E. Policy & Procedures

Both entities to maintain a copy on site. VDH Pharmacy Services will provide to the site.

F. Prescription Record

- 1. VDH Pharmacy Services to maintain legal record for all prescriptions dispensed
- 2. VDH Pharmacy Services to label all prescriptions in accordance to all state and federal requirements

G. Prescription Tracking & Accountability

- 1. VDH Pharmacy Services to keep a detailed log of all prescriptions shipped; tracking information will be available as needed
- 2. VDH Pharmacy Services will maintain a record of all prescriptions returned from pick-up site pharmacy
- 3. Pick-up site pharmacy will maintain a log for patients receiving a prescription from VDH Pharmacy Services; see attached sample log but site may opt to create a customized one

H. Patient Consent for Delivery

2. Pick-up site's district director or designee to provide written authorization for receiving prescriptions on behalf of site's patients and storage and subsequent deliver of prescriptions to patient

I. Confidentiality of Patient Information

- 1. Both VDH Pharmacy Services and the pick-up site pharmacy shall comply with existing policies of their respective organization for maintaining patient confidentiality and PHI integrity
- 2. VDH Pharmacy Services will comply with HIPPA regulations

J. Patient Prescription Drug Counseling

Pick-up site pharmacy to inform patients receiving new prescriptions from VDH Pharmacy Services that counseling is available from a pharmacist.

K. Storage Requirements

Pick-up site pharmacy must store all prescriptions sent by VDH Pharmacy Services in accordance with subsection A of 18VAC110-20-200 of the BOP regulations.

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